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Report from Habana—Inspection of vessels—Mortality statistics.

Assistant Surgeon Trotter, in temporary charge, reports, September 9, as follows:

Week ended September 5, 1903.

Number of health certificates issued.....	95
Vessels inspected and issued bills of health.....	12
Crews of outgoing vessels inspected.....	624
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected.....	405
Pieces of baggage inspected.....	128
Pieces of freight inspected.....	2,338
Pieces of express inspected.....	13
Pieces of baggage disinfected.....	3

Mortuary report of Habana, Cuba, for the week ended September 5, 1903.

Disease.	Number of deaths.
Tuberculosis.....	9
Pneumonia.....	1
Bronchitis.....	2
Enteric fever.....	2
Enteritis.....	3
Meningitis.....	8
Scarlet fever.....	1
Malarial fever.....	1
Leprosy.....	1
Cancer.....	7

Total deaths from all causes, 88.

Report from Matanzas—Inspection of vessels—Mortality statistics.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Von Ezdorf reports, September 14, as follows: During the week ended September 12, 1903, two bills of health were issued to vessels prior to sailing for ports in the United States. No quarantinable disease was reported.

Mortality statistics for the first ten days in September, 1903.

Causes of death.	Number.
Paludism.....	1
Tuberculosis.....	5
Cancer of the breast.....	1
Diabetes.....	1
Alcoholism.....	1
Meningitis, simple.....	2
Tetanus, infantile.....	1
Hemorrhage, internal.....	1
Other affections of the circulatory system.....	1
Broncho-pneumonia.....	1
Pneumonia.....	1
Intestinal invagination.....	1
Appendicitis with perforation.....	1
Hemorrhage, traumatic.....	1
Ill-defined causes of death.....	1
Total.....	20

Annual rate of mortality, 15.20 per 1,000; estimated population, 48,000.